

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ARA-16 ISO-00 EB-11 AID-20 COME-00 RSC-01 /069 W  
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R 231954Z OCT 73

FM AMEMBASSY BRIDGETOWN

TO AMEMBASSY PORT OF SPAIN

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 6307

UNCLAS BRIDGETOWN 1484

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR

SUBJ: SUGAR QUOTA

REF: BRIDGETOWN 1447

FOR AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE

1. IN RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS AGATTACHE REQUEST, EMBOFF MET  
WITH WEST INDIES SUGAR ASSOCIATION (WISA) PRESIDENT, RAY  
NORRIS, RECENTLY AND INQUIRED ABOUT 73 AND 74 QUOTA  
DISTRIBUTION.

2. NORRIS GAVE ESTIMATED CY 1973 BREAKDOWN AS FOLLOWS:  
(FIGURES GIVEN ARE IN LONG REPEAT LONG TONS)

### 1973 (ESTIMATE)

BARBADOS	-
GUYANA	35,000
JAMAICA	17,000
ST. KITTS	-
TRINIDAD	8,000
TOTAL	60,000

NORRIS ALSO PASSED ON FOR YOUR INFORMATION WHAT HE DESCRIBED  
AS FINAL 1972 BREAKDOWN (LONG TONS):

### 1972 (FINAL)

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BARBADOS	93
GUYANA	81,084
JAMAICA	49,960
ST. KITTS	-
TRINIDAD	23,853
TOTAL	154,990

NORRIS MENTIONED THAT HE WOULD BE IN PORT OF SPAIN ATTENDING CANE FARMERS ASSOCIATION MEETING OCTOBER 29-NOVEMBER 2 AND SAID THAT HE LOOKED FORWARD TO MEETING U.S. AGATTACHE AT THAT TIME. NORRIS PLANS TENTATIVELY TO STAY AT QUEEN'S PARK HOTEL AND CAN BE REACHED THROUGH JACOB KAHN OF CANE GROWERS ASSOCIATION.

3. RE 1974 QUOTA DISTRIBUTION, NORRIS SAID WISA HAD NO ESTIMATED BREAKDOWN AT THIS TIME. HE DID SAY THAT WHATEVER FINAL QUOTA IS, WISA EXPECTS THAT IT WILL BE DIVIDED BETWEEN GUYANA, JAMAICA AND TRINIDAD.  
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